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For: COMPOSITION AND METHODS )  
FOR LANTHIONIZING KERATIN )  
FIBERS USING AT LEAST ONE )  
ORGANIC NUCLEOPHILE AND )  
AT LEAST ONE HYDROXIDE )  
ION GENERATOR )

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office  
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Respectfully submitted,

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